

## Stump PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1

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DATE PREPARED: December 10, 2014

COMPANY:

Arizona Public Ser ELVED

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 34** 

DOCKET NO(S). E-01345A-13201069EC 10 POPEN MEETING DATE: December 11-12, 2014

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The purpose of this amendment is to modify the Proposed Order to not approve Staff's proposed alternatives 2 and 3 and to approve only alternative 1, but <u>decrease the proposed monthly meter reading charge from \$20 to a \$5 monthly charge for customers who opt out of AMI metering.</u>

Page 5, Line 6: Replace "Recommendations" with "Staff Recommendations"

Page 5, Line 19: INSERT the following new Discussion Heading and new Findings of Fact:

## **Commission Discussion**

- 17. Although we appreciate Staff's analysis and recommendations, we do not find that Staff's alternative proposals 2 and 3 are appropriate under the circumstances presented in this matter. We are concerned that both Staff's alternative proposals 2 and 3 could result in opt out customers potentially providing inaccurate and untimely information concerning opt out customer usage.
- 18. We find that Staff's alternative proposal 1 provides both APS and its opt out customers with the most accurate and timely information concerning customer usage. However, in considering the Staff's proposed charge of \$20 per month for meter reading, we find that a more appropriate balancing in the public interest results in a determination of \$5 per month for meter reading for those customers who choose to opt out of AMI metering.
- 19. We find that it is appropriate to take judicial notice of Docket No. E-00000C11-0328 and to consider the matters reflected therein, as we evaluate APS's application for an AMI metering opt out tariff.
- 20. Based upon the information in Docket Nos. E-00000C11-0328 and E-01345A-13-0069, we further find that APS's AMI meters comply with the applicable federal standards.

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21. We find that in light of our decision in this case, that any pending motions/requests for further proceedings or other requests for relief are now moot and thus are deemed denied by this Order.

**Page 5, Line 24: REPLACE C**onclusion of Law No. 3 with the following new Conclusion of Law:

3. The Commission, having fully considered these matters and in balancing the public interest, concludes that it is in the public interest to approve the application as modified and set forth above and to approve Staff's proposed alternative 1 except that the monthly reading charge is determined to be \$5 per month for opt out customers.

**Page 6, Line 3: INSERT** the following new Conclusion of Law:

5. We conclude that any pending motions/requests for further proceedings or other requests for relief are now moot and thus are deemed denied by this Order.

**Page 7, Line 2-3: REPLACE** existing Ordering Paragraph with the following new Ordering Paragraph:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Arizona Public Service Company's Service Schedule 17 is approved as modified by Staff's Alternative 1 except that the monthly meter reading charge is set at \$5.

Page 7, Lines 4-5: DELETE Ordering Paragraph

Make all conforming changes and renumber accordingly.